

East Bethel

Mrs. Hannah Coolidge spent several days at the home of her nephew, Leslie Noyes, and has gone to be with Mrs. Sanborn in Bethel. Little Edith Tyler was quite ill last week.

The young people on the Locke Road with the teachers, Mrs. Noyes and Miss Brooke, had a skating party and hot dog roast Saturday afternoon on Goss Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Cleveland and Carroll Curtis were called to Gardiner, Maine, Sunday by the serious illness of Mr. Cleveland's son, Clarence Clayton Cleveland, who passed away Sunday afternoon at the hospital in Gardiner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howe and Mrs. Floribel Novens entertained their neighbors on New Year's Eve. What was enjoyed for a while, cake and ice cream was served and then games and stunts were enjoyed until 11.55 when the radio announced the passing of the Old Year.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

WHEREAS, Arthur L. Witham of Lovell, County of Oxford and State of Maine, by his mortgage deed dated May 2, 1930, recorded in the W. D. Oxford County Registry of Deeds in Book 125, Page 128, conveyed to the Fidelity Trust Company, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Maine, and located at Portland, County of Cumberland and State of Maine, a certain lot or parcel of land bounded and described as follows:

A certain lot or parcel of land, situated in Lovell aforesaid, together with such buildings as are now thereon, bounded as follows: Northerly and westerly by the land of George W. Walker, Southerly by land of Elmon J. Noyes, and land of Cyrus K. Chapman and the town road leading from Lovell Village to "No. Four" as called, and being the same premises conveyed to Arthur L. Witham by Stephen C. Buzzell by deed dated December 2nd, 1922, and recorded in Oxford Western District Registry of Deeds, Book 113, page 664, to which deed and the deeds therein referred to reference may be had. Subject to the condition for maintenance of line fences as set forth in the deed above referred to, and

WHEREAS, Robert Braun of said Portland, is now and has been since March 20, 1935 the duly appointed, qualified and acting Conservator for said Fidelity Trust Company, whereby he became and is now the holder of said mortgage in his said capacity, and

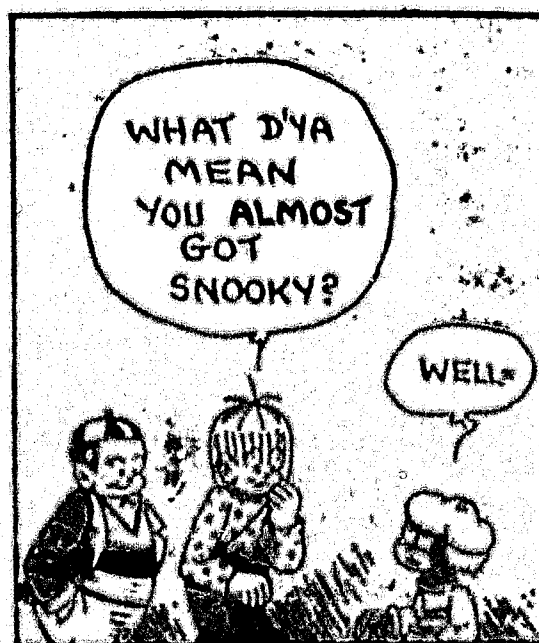
WHEREAS, the condition of said mortgage has been and now is broken.

NOW, THEREFORE, By reason of the breach of the condition thereof, said Robert Braun, holder of said mortgage, claims a foreclosure thereof.

Dated at Portland, Maine, December 12, 1936.

Robert Braun
Conservator of
Fidelity Trust Company

Sam and Nastus were discussing politics. Nastus was a rabid partisan of the incumbent.
"Well," said Sam, "Ah like him all right Ah guess, but his plat'm ain't no good."
"Plat'm?" snorted Nastus "Plat'm?" Say, don't you know dat a political plat'm is jest like a plat'm on one o' dese yere street cars - hit ain't meant to stan' on; hit's jes meant to get in on!" - Exchange.

"MICKEY" AND HIS GANG**ALDER RIVER GRANGE**

Monday evening Alder River Grange held a regular meeting with a short business session.

Charles Knight, Farco, Mrs. Marjorie Billings, Robert Billings, Mrs. Sadie Knight, Charles Knight.

A table was set up and the worthy Master, Guy Bartlett, placed at the head to serve a large birthday cake in honor of his birthday, January 4th. Mrs. Bartlett served ice cream. This was a surprise feature and was enjoyed by 18 members present.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

WHEREAS, Henry M. Riggs of Grafton, County of Worcester, and Lewis W. Riggs of Watertown, County of Middlesex, both in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, by their mortgage deed dated October 5, 1931, recorded in the W. D. Oxford County Registry of Deeds in Book 125, Page 272, conveyed to the Fidelity Trust Company, a banking corporation duly organized and existing by law and located at Portland, County of Cumberland and State of Maine, two certain lots or parcels of land, bounded and described as follows:

The following lot or parcel of land, together with all buildings thereon, situated in the town of Denmark, County of Oxford and State of Maine, owned by the said Henry M. Riggs, and bounded and described as follows: On the north by land owned by Charles E. and Nelson T. Fox and one Davis; On the East by Moose Pond; On the South by the second parcel herein described; and on the West by the road leading from the Roosevelt Trail to Denmark. Said premises being the same as conveyed to Henry M. and Lewis W. Riggs by Henry M. Moxcey by deed dated August 26, 1914, and recorded in Oxford Western District Registry of Deeds, Book 105, page 95, and including the present location of Moosehead Camp, containing some forty acres, more or less. One-half in common and undivided of that parcel of land in said Denmark, conveyed by Henry M. Moxcey to Lewis W. Riggs, by deed dated October 12th, 1916, and recorded in said Registry, Book 105, page 374, said parcel being in its entirety bounded and described as follows: On the north by the parcel first above described; On the East by Moose Pond; On the South by land of Charles E. Cobb, said Cobb line being the original side line of Lot No. 20 in said Town of Denmark as set forth on the Ingalls plan; and on the West by said Road, containing some thirty-five acres more or less.

WHEREAS, Robert Braun of said Portland, is now and has been since March 20, 1935 the duly appointed, qualified and acting Conservator for said Fidelity Trust Company, whereby he became and is now the holder of said mortgage in his said capacity, and

WHEREAS, the condition of said mortgage has been and now is broken.

NOW, THEREFORE, By reason of the breach of the condition thereof, said Robert Braun, holder of said mortgage, claims a foreclosure thereof.

Dated at Portland, Maine, December 19, 1936.

Robert Braun
Conservator of
Fidelity Trust Company

"Is your kitchen small?"
"Why, it's so small we have to use condensed milk - Purple Cow."

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

WHEREAS, Janet G. L. Gallupe of Waltham, County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, by her mortgage deed dated August 24, 1931, recorded in the W. D. Oxford County Registry of Deeds in Book 125, Page 257, conveyed to the Fidelity Trust Company, a banking corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Maine, and located at Portland, County of Cumberland and State of Maine, a certain lot or parcel of land, bounded and described as follows:

The following described lot or parcel of land, together with the buildings now thereon, conveyed to Janet G. L. Gallupe by Hattie A. Pike by deed dated November 20th, 1929 and recorded in Oxford Western District Registry of Deeds, Book 124, page 562, situated in said Fryeburg, on the westerly shore of Lovewell's Pond, and particularly bounded and described as follows: Beginning at an iron pipe in a pile of stones on the westerly shore of Lovewell's Pond and about 733 feet easterly from the North corner of said Hattie A. Pike's Sherwin lot on said Pond, which said last named corner is a pile of rocks around a large poplar tree near said shore, and from thence South 54° West about 275 feet to an iron pipe in a pile of rocks; thence about South 35° east about 750 feet to an iron pipe in a pile of stones; thence North 53° East about 275 feet to an iron pipe in a pile of stones near the shore of said pond, and on the same course to mean low water mark of said Pond; thence by said Pond at mean low water mark northerly to a point opposite the point of beginning and on a prolongation of the first course about 750 feet and thence on said first course thus prolonged to the point of beginning. Together with a right of way for all purposes over and along the course of the camp road as now travelled leading from the County road between Fryeburg and East Fryeburg over and across the remaining portion of said Pike's Sherwin lot to the parcel herein conveyed. Together with any and all personal property now contained in said buildings or hereafter acquired for use therein, and

WHEREAS, Robert Braun of said Portland, is now and has been since March 20, 1935 the duly appointed, qualified and acting Conservator for said Fidelity Trust Company, whereby he became and is now the holder of said mortgage in his said capacity, and

WHEREAS, the condition of said mortgage has been and now is broken.

NOW, THEREFORE, By reason of the breach of the condition thereof, said Robert Braun, holder of said mortgage, claims a foreclosure thereof.

Dated at Portland, Maine, December 22, 1936.

Robert Braun
Conservator of
Fidelity Trust Company

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

WHEREAS, LeRoy P. Hale, of Denmark in the County of Oxford and State of Maine, by his mortgage deed dated June 18, 1929, recorded in the W. D. Oxford County Registry of Deeds in Book 125, Page 49, conveyed to the Fidelity Trust Company, a banking corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Maine, and located at Portland, County of Cumberland and State of Maine, a certain lot or parcel of land, bounded and described as follows:

Certain real estate situated in said town of Denmark, together with the buildings thereon, known as the Edwin P. Fessenden homestead farm premises, bounded as follows: Northerly by land of William Arnold and land of Heirs of late Adolphus D. Fessenden and Heirs of late Dudley S. Perkins; Easterly by farm land of Heirs of late Irving W. Hale, formerly owned by Frank Bunnell; Southerly by land of Charles E. Cobb and land of Roscoe C. Hilton; Westerly by land of said Hilton.

Title was acquired by LeRoy P. Hale to said premises by deed from Edith L. Dunn dated June 14th, 1929, recorded in the Oxford County Registry of Deeds, to which reference may be made for chain of title, and

WHEREAS, Robert Braun of said Portland, is now and has been since March 20, 1935 the duly appointed, qualified and acting Conservator for said Fidelity Trust Company, whereby he became and is now the holder of said mortgage in his said capacity, and

WHEREAS, the condition of said mortgage has been and now is broken.

NOW, THEREFORE, By reason of the breach of the condition thereof, said Robert Braun, holder of said mortgage, claims a foreclosure thereof.

Dated at Portland, Maine, December 22, 1936.

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DODGE AND PLYMOUTH CARS**DODGE TRUCKS**

½ to 5 Ton

O. K. CLIFFORD CO. INC.
SOUTH PARIS

BUSINESS CARDS

Watch This Space for Dates



Eyes Examined, Glasses Furnished

E. L. GREENLEAF
OPTOMETRIST

over Rowe's Store

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6

DR. RALPH OTIS HOOD

OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN

office at the residence of

Myron Bryant

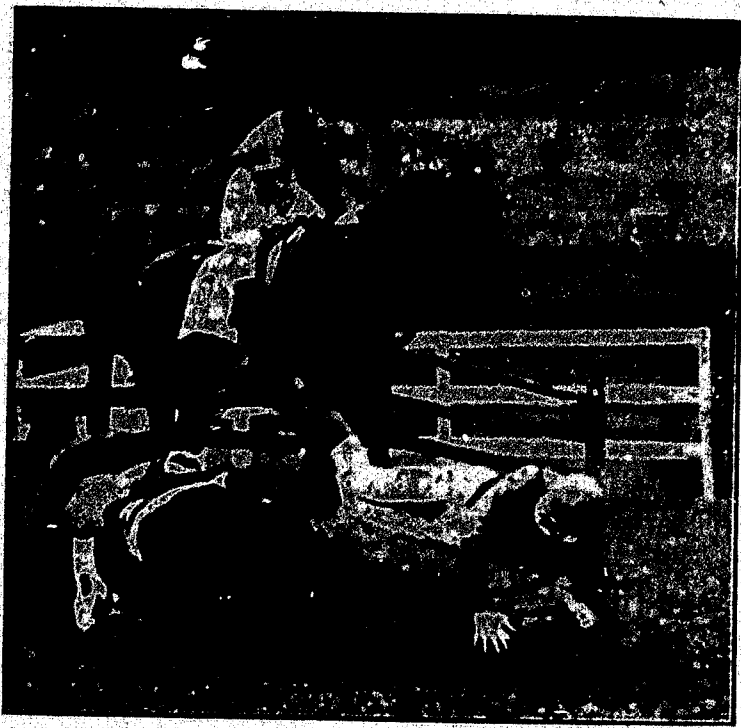
By Appointment - Bethel, Maine

DR. HOWARD E. TYLER

CHIROPRACTOR

Bethel Mon. Afternoon

Thurs. Evening



THE BEGINNING OF A DOUBLE SPILL

A second after this shot caught Idle Chatter in a bad spill at the Monmouth County (N. J.) Hunt meeting, Ostend, following closely, came a sweeper within a few inches of fallen horse and rider. Nobody hurt.

Songo Pond

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stone and baby are staying at Leslie Kimball's for the present and Mr. Stone is working for Mr. Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kimball and family were callers at Floyd Kimball's at West Bethel, Monday evening.

Arthur Kimball is expected home from Rumford Hospital some time this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kimball of Sebago were at Leslie Kimball's on Saturday and went to Rumford to see Mr. Kimball's brother, Arthur, at the Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown of Lewiston spent the New Year week end at their camp here and attended the dance at the Town Hall, Saturday night.

Mrs. Mae Cash is sick with a bad cold at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kimball and family were callers at Elmer Saunders Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kimball and two children of West Bethel were at Leonard Kimball's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bryant and son George and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dehan and baby of Auburn were callers at Mrs. Mae Cash, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Barker and two children were at Leslie Kimball's, Monday.

Mrs. Arthur Kimball, Mrs. Merle Stone and Miss Florence Kimball were in Rumford, Monday to see, Arthur Kimball who is in the Hospital there.

Hollis Grindle is driving truck for Leslie Kimball, hauling birch to Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crockett and daughter Thelma spent Sunday with Mrs. Crockett's aunt, Mrs. Mae Cash.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Saunders spent New Year's with Mrs. Mae Cash and Hollis Grindle.

It is likely that poultry prices in the spring of 1937 will be lower than those of 1936.

Greenwood Center

Miss Vera Dunham, Locke Mills, visited her sister, Mrs. Lester Cole, recently.

Miss Margaret Coolidge, Locke Mills and Miss Elizabeth Lyon of Bethel visited with Mrs. Glenn Martin over the week end.

D. R. Cole is ill at this writing. Albert Ring, Rowe Hill, visited with his sister, Mrs. Glenn Martin, recently.

H. H. Cushman, Shelburne, has been staying at Camp Shady-Acre. Mr. and Mrs. Myron Winslow and son, Myron, Jr. of West Poland, visited at R. L. Martin's, Sunday.

Dwight Martin visited with David Roberts at Locke Mills last week. Lee Hoyt of Otisfield is visiting at Beryl Martin's.

SCHOOL SAVINGS ACCOUNT

Week of January 4, 1937

Primary School			
Grade	Sav. Bank	Total	Per Cent
I	\$3.00	\$3.40	66
II	2.00	2.15	56
III	3.00	2.20	59
IV		1.30	38

\$8.00 \$9.05

Grammar School

Grade	Sav. Bank	Total	Per Cent
V	\$1.00	\$3.10	55.17
VI		.85	25
VII		1.45	45.83
VIII	3.00	1.60	53.56

\$4.00 \$7.00

First and Fifth have banners.

ELECTROL

The Oil Burner that means economy, with service behind it. Let us quote installed prices.

Heating and Plumbing

Also Mill Work as Usual

H. ALTON BACON

BRYANT POND, MAINE

West Bethel

Albert Skillings has gone into the woods to work in Grafton. C. W. Bell of South Paris went with him.

Mrs. Byron Abbott and son Charles from South Portland are spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Abbott.

Mrs. Clifton Palmer and son, Clifton, Jr., spent Thursday with her aunt, Mrs. Estella Goodridge.

It is reported that Arline Rolfe, who is at the St. Louis Hospital in Berlin is a little more comfortable at this writing.

Mrs. Ida Pulsifer, formerly of this town passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Earl Jordan, Monday, Jan. 4th, at Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Palmer and son, Clifton, Jr., of Berlin are spending the holidays with Mrs. Palmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Vashaw.

A number from here attended the funeral of Ira Hickford which was held at the funeral parlors of S. S. Greenleaf in Bethel, Tuesday.

Mrs. Clara Abbott is visiting her son, Byron Abbott, and family at South Portland.

Mrs. Thomas Vashaw and little daughter, Merna, were callers of Mrs. Estella Goodridge one day last week.

George Bennett, is at work for Ernest Morrill.

Mrs. Albert Skillings, who has been quite sick, is some better now.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kneeland motored to Boston, Monday.

The students of Gould Academy returned to school Monday after the holiday recess of two weeks.

NAVAP

NASAL VAPOR

A powerful inhalant for the treatment of head colds. Will quickly relieve the discomforts due to head colds and nasal irritation.

50c

W. E. BOSSERMAN, Druggist
BETHEL, MAINE

Store Owners!

How Many of You KNOW How
Much You Should

Invest in Advertising Annually?

There are times when business must be dynamited with advertising far beyond the possibility of proper return on the investment in a single day. However, as a rule, advertising should be used in the same way as electric lights, rent, personal salesmanship, window displays, etc.—sufficiently, steadily and as skillfully as possible. Your advertising investment should be big enough to do the job you wish to do. No more and no less.

You know that fire under a boiler makes steam. Yet a candle in a locomotive firebox will not move a train of freight cars.

Below is a table showing the average percentage of sales used for advertising as reported by the Merchants' Service Bureau of the National Cash Register Company.

**Average Advertising Percentage
of Net Sales**

Store	Percentage of Net Sales
Beauty Shoppes	5.30%
Cleaning and Dyeing	3.3 %
Ceal	.55%
Department Stores, up to	4.25%
Florists	5.0 %
Furniture	7.2 %
Groceries (Independent)	1.0 %
Haberdashery	3.3 %
Jewelry	3.4 %
Laundries	2.45%
Men's Clothing	3.75%
Millinery	2.2 %
Restaurants	3.1 %
Shoe Stores	2.2 %
Specialty Shops	3.7 %
Women's Wear Shops	3.7 %

Are you treating your business fairly with your present advertising investment?

Are you one of those store owners who do not care to advertise and are satisfied with what trade happens to come drifting through the doors?

Why not turn over a new leaf and get started right be fair to your business as well as yourself.

Get in touch with the CITIZEN the telephone number is 18-11 and we will help you plan a campaign.

The above report credits the following sources of information: Bureau of Business Research; Harvard University; International Association of Electricians; Florists' Telegraph Delivery Association; National Retail Furniture Association; The National Haberdasher and Consolidated Press, Ltd.; Chloebona Club and the St. Louis Retail Druggists Association; "National Hairdressers"; National Shoe Retailers' Association; National Retail Hardware Association, National Association of Retail Clothiers and Furnishers; Interstate Merchants' Council; "The Progressive Grocer"; "Meat Merchandise"; "National Petroleum News"; and the Druggists Research Bureau.

Announcing an Unusual Event

at the

**Roberts Housefurnishing Store
Hanover, Maine**

Carefully prepared stock and EXTRA VALUES make it worth your while to look it over.

We have installed a BARGAIN DEPARTMENT and selected many useful and desirable articles from our entire stock, ranging in price from three (3) cents to a

3 PIECE LIVING SUITE at \$49.00

This is a beautiful set and a great Bargain. Many others equally as good. There is also one glass show case.

This BARGAIN DEPARTMENT will be run through January, February and March

THE OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN PUBLISHED THURSDAYS AT BETHEL, MAINE

CARL L. BROWN, Publisher
Entered as second class matter,
May 7, 1908, at the post office at
Bethel, Maine.

Single copies of the Citizen are
on sale at the Citizen office and
also by
W. E. Bosserman, Bethel
Chamberlin's Fruit Store, Bethel
Irving Brown, Bethel
Maurice Kendall, West Bethel
George Stearns, Hanover
Clayton Holden, Gilead
Chase's, Bryant Pond
Ethel Mason, Locke Mills
Juddkin's Store, Upton

Any letter or article intended for
publication in the Citizen must
bear the signature and address of
the author and be written on only
one side of the paper. We reserve
the right to exclude, or publish
contributions in part.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 1937

**BETHEL NEEDS
More and Better Sidewalks—winter
and summer
Night Watchman—All the Year
Enforced Traffic Rules**

The Answer Is Up To You!

When the final figures are made
up, it will very possibly be found
that the automobile accident record
of 1936 was the worst in our motor-
ing history—from the standpoint of
injuries and property damage, as
well as fatalities.

Will 1937 further "improve" that
record? The answer is up to the
millions who drive cars and walk
our streets and highways.

We make our cars mechanically
safer—and accidents increase. We
apply the most advanced engineer-
ing knowledge to the problems of
highway construction—and acci-
dents increase. We stiffen our traf-
fic laws—and accidents increase.

It is a telling commentary on our
driving habits that the worst acci-
dents involve cars in good condi-
tion operating on first class high-
ways under excellent weather con-
ditions not even out wicks driv-
ing on icy pavement in a storm.
There is a percentage of drivers
who habitually exaggerate the
"safety factor" and the amount
cost in 35,000 lives and hundreds of
millions of dollars in property de-
struction.

The driver who stops on it—who
weaves through congested traffic
who disobeys traffic signals who
regards pedestrians as a nuisance
to be run off the streets—this driver
is responsible for mass manslaughter
on an unprecedented scale. Will
the American people continue to
countenance his ravages?

National Ideals Preserve Democracy

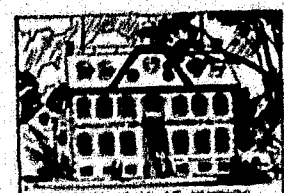
The nation has come to the end of
an eventful year. For the first time
since the worst days of depression,
industry has felt the stimulus of bet-
ter times, of broadening markets
of increased earnings. Prospects for
the future are immeasurably bright-
ened.

Yet we must not be blind to the
vital problems that all of us as in-
dividuals and as members of the
economic and social order, still
face.

The depression, for example,
caused a great increase in the bur-
den of taxation and more serious
still, an unprecedented rise in pub-
lic debt. The time for debating the
wisdom of emergency spending has
passed and the time for balancing
our books has come. No less a fig-
ure than the President has said that
it should soon be possible to meet
costs with income, so far as the
Federal government is concerned,
and in achieving that he will have
the wholehearted assistance of all
responsible elements in our na-
tional life. Furthermore, once the
budget is balanced we must apply
ourselves vigorously to reducing
the debt and thus eventually de-
crease the tax load. Such a program
would give the strongest possible
spur to the recovery movement.

The problem of unemployment
looms almost as large today as it
did at the abysmal low point. In-
dustry has pledged itself to do
all within its power to curb this
fateful condition and in doing
that it must have the help of the
government, to the extent that no
legislation be passed which will

Stuff 'n' Dates by Ned Moore



TO THE WORLD, THE HOUSE AS
THE RESIDENCE OF THE PRESIDENT
AND THE SEAT OF THE GOVERNMENT,
IS THE CAPITAL OF THE NATION.
BUT THE CAPITAL OF THE NATION
IS THE CITY OF WASHINGTON.
THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
IS THE REAL CAPITAL OF
THE COUNTRY AS IT IS THE
HIGHEST COMMERCIAL AND
FINANCIAL CENTER OF THE
COUNTRY. THE HOUSE IS
CROWNED BY THE STATUE OF
LIBERTY. THE HOUSE IS THE
SEAT OF THE GOVERNMENT.
AT WASHINGTON EXPLAINS THIS
VIEWPOINT BY SAYING:
"AMSTERDAM IS THE
CAPITAL OF THE NETHERLANDS.
THE HOUSE IS THE SEAT OF THE
GOVERNMENT AS WELL
AS THE SEAT OF THE
COMMERCIAL AND
FINANCIAL CENTER OF THE
COUNTRY. THE HOUSE IS THE
SEAT OF THE GOVERNMENT."

A STATE AND A COUNTRY WITH TWO CAPITALS

SINCE 1793 RHODE ISLAND HAS USED BOTH
NEWPORT AND PROVIDENCE FOR ITS STATE HOME
AND CAPITAL. THE MOST FAMOUS OF THE TWO IS
THAT OF NEWPORT, BUILT IN 1739 AND WHICH EVERY
GOVERNOR SINCE THAT TIME AND UNTIL 1900 WAS
HOUSED HERE. THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE
WAS READ AND HERE CONVENED THE CONVENTION
WHICH MADE RHODE ISLAND ONE
OF THE UNITED STATES.
OLD STATE HOUSE IN PROVIDENCE,
BUILT HERE AND OCCUPIED BY
THE HOUSE SINCE 1900. ON
OCTOBER 15, 1900 A CORNER
STONE WAS Laid FOR A NEW
NEW STATE CAPITAL AT
PROVIDENCE AND SINCE JUNE
1901 HAS BEEN USED BY
THE HOUSE FOR ITS CAPITAL.

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ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

Happenings That Affect the Disposition
of Funds, Dividend Checks and Tax
Bills of Every Individual, National
and International Problems
Inseparable from Local Welfare

One of the most interesting and
potentially far reaching phases of
the future stability for the nation is
the increasing interest shown by
industry—and especially large cor-
porate industry—in matters of so-
cial, as well as economic signifi-
cance.

Prime example of this was pro-
vided at the recent annual meeting
of the National Association of Man-
ufacturers, representative organiza-
tion of most of the big goods-pro-
ducing concerns of the country.
The president of the Association,
C. N. Chester (who in business life
is Chairman of the Board of General
Foods Corporation) sounded the
keynote of the gathering when he
said, "Industry cannot just sit back
and enjoy the fruits of prosperity.
We must understand better what
has been happening since 1929. Now
that the course of the depression is
behind us, lending itself in its en-
tirety to analysis, it is the job for
industry, general business and all
affected sectors of our economic life
to join in creating a national de-
pression study committee."

Mr. Chester then presented 11
specific suggestions which he be-
lieves industry should follow. Busi-
ness Week briefs them thus: 1. To
continue making better goods at
lower costs, raising living stand-
ards but defending personal oppor-
tunities; 2. Put all possible unem-
ployables back to work; 3. Keep his
house in order; 4. Oppose mono-
poly; 5. Engender greater confi-
dence in workers; 6. Promote pub-
lic understanding; 7. Share the pro-
ceeds of industrial operations fairly
among workers, management and
investors; 8. Help create economic
security for all; 9. While accepting
its responsibilities, insist that all
other interested elements, includ-
ing labor organizations, be made
equally responsible; 10. Cooperate
with government; 11. Join other
groups in a preventative study of
depressions.

These goals were approved by
the delegates to the meeting. Most
serious discussion arose over the
Social Security Act which has many
enemies as well as friends. But fi-
nally, the purpose of the Act was ap-
proved, though the Act itself was
criticized in detail, a criticism that
has been made often before and
will very possibly lead to some re-
vision of the measure in the next
Congress.

The meaning of all this is that
all industry is making a determined
effort to strengthen every phase of
industrial activity to improve om-
ni-employment and safeguard steady
jobs.

The service industries are fol-
lowing suit. For example, the rail-
roads and the electric utilities are
doing everything possible to stabi-
lize and increase their operations so
as to employ the greatest number
of persons and render the highest
public service.

National political interest has
naturally been focused on Washing-
ton during the past year. As a re-
sult, local governments have come
in for only a modicum of attention.
In 1937, however, local politics
will be of vital importance. During
January, no less than 43 state le-
gislatives will convene.

Before these legislatures will be
many highly important questions.
One of these questions is that of
relief. Federal appropriations for
relief are gradually being re-
duced, and tremendous pressure
will be brought on states to appro-
priate funds to supplement the lost
Federal dollars.

Only a handful of states have yet
passed laws to bring their citizens
completely under the Social Secu-
rity Act. In the bulk of states such
laws will be up for debate and con-
siderable discussion is in prospect.

Furthermore, in practically every
state such local problems of more
than ordinary significance will be
an issue. The question of public
economy and taxation is looming
larger every day—and the collec-
tion and disbursement of public
funds is being more closely ac-
tively. In at least one state, Cal-
ifornia, revision of the state con-
stitution is considered.

Thus, during the next month or
two, more of the political news in
your newspapers will be given to
state activities.

Long debated has been the pro-
posal that the President of the
United States should be restricted
by law, to but a single term of six
years' duration.

Prime argument in favor of the
proposal is that under present con-
ditions Presidents are virtually
forced to build political fences dur-
ing their first term in an effort to
assure their reelection. The single
term would stop that long esta-
blished practice.

A bill to pave the way for a Con-
stitutional amendment making the
proposal the law of the land will
probably be introduced in the Con-
gress.

MERRY TOLLERS

The Merry Tollers met at the
home of Mrs. Dan Forbes Jan. 2.
The meeting was opened by the
song, America. Two new members
joined. They were Dora Gallant and
Barbara Poole. They are taking the
sewing. After the business meeting
the leader instructed us on problem
No. 4, on regulating the stitch. Dur-
ing the social hour games were
played. Beatrice Forbes and Mar-
ilyn Marshall are on the recreation
committee next meeting on Jan. 16.
Club Reporter—Beatrice Forbes.

FORGET IT

"Johnny," said the teacher, "what
is one fifth of three-sixteenths?"
"I don't know exactly," the young-
ster replied, "but it isn't enough to
worry about."—The P. G. W. News.

Charter No. 7615

Reserve District No. 1
REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE
BETHEL NATIONAL BANK OF
MAINE, AT THE CLOSE OF
BUSINESS ON DEC. 30, 1936
(Published in response to call
made by Comptroller of the Cur-
rency under Section 5211, U. S. Re-
vised Statutes)

ASSETS	
1. Loans and dis- counts,	\$77,502.77
2. United States Govern- ment obligations, direct and/or fully guaran- teed,	43,912.50
3. Other bonds, stocks, and securities,	199,334.84
4. Real estate owned other than banking house,	1,500.00
5. Reserve with Federal Reserve bank,	66,241.34
6. Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of col- lection,	93,829.71
7. Cash items not in pro- cess of collection,	936.08
8. Other Assets,	130.65
Total Assets,	\$483,358.90

LIABILITIES	
14. Demand deposits of in- dividuals, partnerships, and corporations,	\$335,021.38
15. State, county, and mu- nicipal deposits,	47,608.17
16. United States Govern- ment and postal sav- ings deposits,	748.77
17. Deposits of other banks, including certifi- cated and cashier's checks outstanding,	2.00
Total of items 14 to 18, inclusive:	\$383,380.32
(b) Not secured by pledge of loans and/or investments,	\$335,280.32
(c) Total Deposits,	\$383,380.32
19. Dividends declared but not yet payable and amounts set aside for dividends not declared, Common stock, 250 shares, par \$100 per share,	\$25,000.00
Surplus,	\$25,000.00
Undivided profits—net	49,258.55
Total Capital Account,	\$9,383.55
Total Liabilities,	\$483,358.90

State of Maine,
County of Oxford, ss:
I, Elery C. Park, Cashier of the
above-named bank, do solemnly
swear that the above statement is
true to the best of my knowledge
and belief.

ELERY C. PARK, Cashier.
Sworn to and subscribed before
me this 5th day of January, 1937.

ALICE J. BROOKS,
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
ERNEST M. WALKER,
E. E. WHITNEY,
F. E. HANCOCK

Directors.

Persons You Meet . . .



HARRY T. SAWIN

Harry Sawin was born in North
Waterford in 1887, the son of Mr.
and Mrs. Henry Sawin, and was
educated in the common schools and
a high school of that place.

As a young man he was employed
as a corn shop operator and can-
emaker and was thus employed in
Waterford and North Lovell and in
Windsor, Vt. He later worked in
the store of W. S. Perkins at North
Waterford, then bought the busi-
ness of Mr. Perkins.

After selling the store he came
to Bethel about 20 years ago. For
several years he was employed in the
store of J. G. Brooks, G. L. Co.,
and by Bethel Inn. For several
years past he has been the popular
and efficient janitor of the village
school buildings besides taking care
of minor repairs throughout the
town.

Mr. Sawin is a past grand of Ox-
ford Lodge, I. O. O. F. of North
Waterford, and also belongs to the
Encampment and Rebekahs. He
married Miss Cora Bean of Albany
40 years ago, and they have one
son, Glyndon.

EVER READY 4-H CLUB

The Ever Ready 4-H Club of Han-
over held its Xmas meeting at the
home of Miss Barbara Cummings,
Dec. 23. After our meeting we play-
ed games and all enjoyed a nice
Xmas tree, with Miss Ann Cum-
mings as Santa Claus. After we all
received our nice presents, we went
into the dining room where Mrs.
Cummings had prepared a deli-
cious lunch, consisting of salad, sand-
wiches, hot cocoa, cake, and candy.
There were also present, Club Re-
porter, Elizabeth Chase.

BIRTHDAY SU

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Wesley Wheeler
Poole, Mr. and
Rue, Mr. and Mr.
Mrs. and Mrs. V-
Sadie Robertson
Mrs. Wallace Co-
Bean, Mrs. Earl
Gorman, Miss
Ralph Berry, G-
Poole, E. P. B-
of honor.

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Journal.

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Flower Power
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Parents' Magazine
Open Road Maga-
Opportunity Maga-
Pathfinder
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Screen Play
Sports Afield
True Confessions
Household Maga-
Women's World

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BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Mrs. E. P. Brown was the guest of honor at a surprise party held at her home Wednesday evening. The event was planned and carried out by her daughter, Mrs. Beatrice Grover, and niece, Mrs. Cella Gorman. Mrs. Brown had previously been invited to accompany a friend to a nearby town and upon opening the door to go to a car in waiting as she supposed, found a large circle of friends and neighbors who shouted congratulations.

After her surprise was somewhat over the guests were invited to enter the home, where cards were enjoyed until a late hour. Five tables were in play. Following the card games refreshments of cake and ice cream were served by the hostesses. Mrs. Brown was the recipient of many nice gifts, which included a beautiful birthday cake from her niece, Mrs. Gorman, also gifts of linen, money and china.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Grover, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. John Poole, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas LaRue, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Blake, Mrs. Sadie Robertson, Mrs. Ray York, Mrs. Wallace Coolidge, Mrs. Gladys Bean, Mrs. Earl Davis, Mrs. Cella Gorman, Miss Elizabeth Gorman, Ralph Berry, Gary York, Edward Poole, E. P. Brown and the guest of honor.

TOO AGREEABLE

Jones and Brown were arguing over the merits of certain political candidates. "I wouldn't be such a fool if I were you," snapped Jones. "You're quite right," replied Brown. "You wouldn't."

And Jones hasn't spoken to Brown since. (Louisville Courier-Journal).

"What happens when light falls into water at an angle of 45 degrees?" asked the teacher.

"It goes out, sir," said the bright pupil.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

H. C. Rowe went to Boston Monday.

Miss Pauline LaRue is working in Lyons store this week.

Miss Catherine Lyon is enjoying a vacation in Springfield, Boston and Portland.

The Garden Club will meet at Garland Chapel on Wednesday, Jan. 13, at 2:30 p. m.

I. L. Carver and Syll LeClair were in Waterville and Portland on business Tuesday.

Any boys who wish to enroll in the CCC before Jan. 20 should get in touch with the Selectmen at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lisherness, former proprietors of Maple Inn, left Monday en route for St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rice, Mrs. Maude Rice and Rufus Rice visited relatives at Berry Mills last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ardell Hinkley spent the week end at North Anson her sister, Mrs. Donald Paine, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Flint were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hewoy and family at Wilson's Mills last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bowley are staying with Mrs. Gertrude Bartlett. Mr. Bowley is working for P. H. Chadbourne.

Miss Lenora Hodgdon and Margaret Thompson returned to New Jersey Saturday after spending the holidays with Mrs. W. J. Upson.

The American Magazine, 25c and

Woman's Home Companion, 10c delivered in Bethel Village each month

IRVING BROWN
Phone 18-11 or 21-11

Mrs. Maude Rice of Norway is visiting at the home of Guy Rice. Work is progressing rapidly on the P. H. Chadbourne mill on the Songo road.

Among those locally who suffered auto mishaps Sunday on account of the very slippery roads were Dr. R. R. Tibbetts, Mrs. Mabel Kirk, and Sidney Chamberlin.

Arthur Cutler is recovering from head injuries received Monday when a light truck he was driving left the road and broke off a heavy electric light pole at West Falmouth Monday.

Four tables were in play at the card party held at the home of Mrs. Fred Wheeler Wednesday evening for the benefit of the S. of U. V. Auxiliary. Mrs. Viola Lord and Robert Kirk won first prizes while the consolation went to Mrs. Kathleen Bennett and Sidney Chamberlin.

We shall be open for business as usual Jan. 11

We Thank You For Past Favors and Solicit Your Future Patronage.

Bethel Auction Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Storey and daughter of Wilson's Mills were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Ramsell.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Poole of Hebron were last week's guests of John Poole and family.

Mrs. H. C. Rowe and Miss Cleo Russell went to Boston Wednesday morning.

C. Ray Hanson Chicago criminologist, was the speaker at the meeting of the Lions Club Monday evening at Maple Inn.

Knotholes & Sawdust

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Traffic Cop: "Don't you know what I mean when I hold up my hand?"

Lady-Driver: "I should have been a school teacher for 25 years."

Coach Anderson being a public spirited citizen and realizing that the business in the building line is apt to be a little slack in the winter did his little bit when his stable got afire last week, so Herb Swan got a job repairing it and we got an order for the material with which to make the repair, and the fire company had some much needed practise with the new fire fighting equipment. "It's an ill wind that blows nobody good."

Sergeant: "If you had been ordered to clean about our native spruce your rifle, what is the first thing you would do?"

Soldier: "Look at the number."

Sergeant: "What's so important about that?"

Soldier: "It's important (all right. One time when I was through with the job I found that it was another guy's gun."

An insurance agent was filling out an application blank.

"Have you ever had appendicitis?" he asked.

"Well, answered the applicant, "I was operated on, but I have never felt quite sure whether it was appendicitis or professional curiosity."

Victim: "Fifteen dollars? You usually charge me \$3."

Dentist: "Yes, but you shrieked so loud that you frightened three patients away."

Jones: "Did you give your wife the lecture on economy?"

Smith: "Yes. And now I must stop smoking."

BUY BOTH AND SAVE MONEY



Take ALL the work out of washday—(1) with this new big EASY Washer that washes family-size loads of clothes whiter and faster, (2) with this new EASY Ironer that irons while you sit down, effortlessly guiding the clothes.

EASY Washer, Model 3B, with EASY automatic washing action. REGULAR PRICE \$49.95
EASY Ironer, Model 20, Full-size 26-inch roll and shoe, finger control, open ends. Operated by washer motor. REGULAR PRICE \$35.00
Now in this special combination—
BOTH FOR \$74.95

Own a complete EASY home laundry—both a new 1937 EASY Washer with genuine EASY Turbulator 3-Zone washing action and a new 1937 EASY Ironer with full automatic controls—at this special combination price, no more than you might expect to pay for the washer alone. **\$1.00 a week buys both.**

CENTRAL MAINE POWER COMPANY

4 famous MAGAZINES

FRIENDS! We are combining our newspaper with these two great magazine offers, so that you can realize a remarkable cash saving on this year's reading. Either offer permits a choice of four top-notch magazines with our paper and, regardless of your selection, you will say it's a bargain.

The Economy Offer

- Check 2 magazines that (X)
- GROUP-A**
- ☐ American Fruit Grower 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Copper's Farmer 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Household Magazine 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Needlecraft 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Successful Farming 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Woman's World 1 Yr.
 - ☐ The Country Home 2 Yr.
 - ☐ Farm Journal 2 Yr.
 - ☐ Pathfinder 126 Issues
 - ☐ Breeder's Gazette 1 Yr.
- GROUP-B**
- ☐ American Poultry Journal 1 Yr.
 - ☐ The Country Home 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Farm Journal 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Gentlewoman Magazine 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Good Stories 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Illustrated Mechanics 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Leghorn World 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Mother's Home Life 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Plymouth Rock Monthly 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Rhode Island Red Journal 1 Yr.
- \$2.50 FOR ALL**

The Super-Value Offer

- Check 2 magazines that (X)
- GROUP-1**
- ☐ American Boy 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Better Homes & Gardens 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Christian Herald 6 Mo.
 - ☐ Flower Grower 6 Mo.
 - ☐ McGraw's Magazine 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Motion Picture Magazine 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Parents' Magazine 6 Mo.
 - ☐ Open Road (Boys) 2 Yr.
 - ☐ Opportunity Magazine 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Pictorial Review 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Pathfinder (Weekly) 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Romantic Stories 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Screen Play 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Sports Afield 1 Yr.
 - ☐ True Confessions 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Household Magazine 2 Yr.
 - ☐ Woman's World 2 Yr.
- GROUP-2**
- ☐ American Poultry Journal 1 Yr.
 - ☐ American Fruit Grower 1 Yr.
 - ☐ The Country Home 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Farm Journal 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Gentlewoman Magazine 1 Yr.
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 - ☐ Woman's World 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Copper's Farmer 1 Yr.
 - ☐ Breeder's Gazette 1 Yr.
- NO CHANGES FROM ONE LIST TO ANOTHER**
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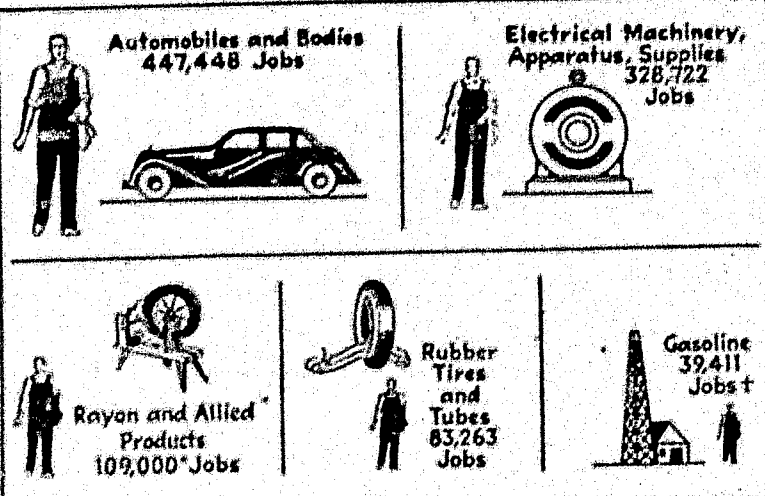
Ten Million People Given Employment By 16 New Industries In Last 50 Years

Study Shows Opportunity Created by New Inventions

New opportunities for labor created by technological advancement and invention in America during the past 50 years accounted for more than 12 1/2 per cent of the people employed in factories in 1929, a recent study by the McGraw-Hill Publishing Company discloses.

Results of the study, published in the August issue of the magazine "Factory," showed that 16 new American industries born since 1879 had given direct employment to 1,110,714 workers in factories and manufacturing establishments. Counting the service and selling jobs created by these new industries, the total employment resulting is around 10,000,000.

Greatest employment has resulted from the automobile industry. Including motor cars, bodies and tires more than 630,000 were engaged in producing motor cars and parts in 1929 whereas there was none in the automobile manufacturing business 50 years ago.



*Source: Nat'l Ass'n. of Manufacturers

Over 12 1/2 per cent of people employed in manufacturing are in industries which were unheard of 50 years ago. These five industries alone have given direct employment to over 1,000,000 people.

Close behind the automobile are allied products, typewriters and parts, mechanical refrigerators, aircraft, phonographs and several others. Total factory workers in America numbered 8,322,000 in 1929 with 12 1/2 per cent of the total accounted for by the 16 new industries, the study showed.

Official Conservation Program Not Announced

The 1937 agricultural conservation program, already announced from Washington for the country as a whole, has not yet been adjusted to conditions in Maine, according to A. K. Gardner, state executive officer.

He says the national program has flexible provisions that apply to various regions. The Maine state agricultural conservation committee of five at its next meeting soon will announce which of the optional provisions will apply to Maine. Fruit and vegetable growers are assured of a program in 1937 more satisfactory than the one in 1936.

Field inspections have been completed on 8,000 farms taking part in the program this year, Mr. Gard-

ner says. About 6,500 farmers have qualified and will receive payments for carrying out soil-building practices and for shifting land to the growing of soil-conserving crops. Most farmers are expected to have their checks by January 1. Payments already received have averaged \$44 a farm.

A statement from headquarters says field inspections started in August with local farmers as supervisors. These supervisors visited the farms, recorded the crops grown in 1935 and 1936 to determine the shift in acreage from soil-depleting to soil-conserving crops, and listed soil-building practices carried out. From this information, applications for payment were prepared and sent to Washington where the reports were audited and checks issued.

Whalen Directs Fair



NEW YORK (Special).—Grover Whalen, President of the New York World's Fair Corporation, who already has in process actual construction of the 1939 international exposition dedicated to a more effective relationship between man and his world, and who through invitations extended to all states of the Union urges them to participate by sending exhibits to the "Hall of States" where they may be viewed by the 30,000,000 visitors expected from all parts of the world.

SAVE TIME EXPENSE
Crabshaw—If I had to stay away more than one night I will send you a telegram.
Mrs. Crabshaw—Never mind, I've read it already—I found it in your coat pocket.—Pathfinder.

Easy Pleasant Way To LOSE FAT

How would you like to lose your fat, increase your energy and improve your health?

How would you like to lose your double chin and your too prominent hips and abdomen and at the same time make your skin as clean and clear as it will compel admiration?

Get on the scales today and see how much you weigh—then get a bottle of Kruschen Salts that cost next to nothing and which will last you 4 weeks. Take one half teaspoonful in a glass of hot water in the morning—eat down on pastry and fatty meats—go light on potatoes, butter, cream and sugar—and when you have finished the contents of this first bottle weigh yourself again.

Notice also that you have gained in energy—you feel younger in body—Kruschen will give any fat person a joyous surprise. Release limitations—safeguard your health—you lose fat SURELY the Kruschen way.

NOTE—Many people find that the only diet change necessary while taking Kruschen regularly is TO EAT LESS.

HOW I BECAME A RADIO STAR

By HELEN HAYES

When I was a little girl of eight in Washington, D. C., my mother took the initial steps which launched me on a professional career. She persuaded the Columbia Stock Company that I wanted to act, and knowing my love for "sweets", weighed them into casting me as a child prince who ate too much jelly cake at a picnic. They had really jelly cake and the first time I played the part, I remember getting very sick. The May Ball at dancing school found me impersonating a Cuban Girl. Lew Fields, the well-known producer who was in Washington at the time, saw the performance. Later he asked me to play Little Miss in "Old Dutch." I will never forget the opening night. Victor Herbert led the orchestra and "Diamond Jim" Brady and Lillian Russell were in the audience.

My parents insisted that I continue my schooling, and so I did graduating at seventeen from the Sacred Heart Academy. Shortly afterwards, my career as a child actress ended with a part as the daughter of John Drew in "The Frodoval Husband." I loved the story, and remember so well playing dolls with the famous actor in the first act. Then began my friendship with a man I shall always admire. It was William Gillette and I will ever treasure the experience of appearing with him.

Various dramas followed and I played three seasons in "Fanny" until the play closed in 1920. Then I tried Hollywood where I made several pictures including "Arrive with Me," "A Farewell to Arms" and "The Sign of the Cross." I was lucky enough to win the Academy award for my efforts in the last named film. I even decided that I wanted to return to the East so I could be near my family and the theatre. My next show was "Mary of Scotland" and now I am portraying another famous queen in "Victoria Regina." I think it is the most satisfying part I have played.



HELEN HAYES

Just before "Victoria Regina" opened, I was approached to appear on a radio series for the first time. At the same moment I received another offer from Hollywood. Well, I chose radio. For one reason I was anxious to try my hand in a new field. But more important—radio would permit me to stay with my husband and little girl in New York and at the same time be close to the theatre. Last season I broadcast "The New Penny." This time it is "Hambi."

At present I am thoroughly happy because I have my stage work and my family and at the same time the opportunity of reaching many new people via the airwaves. But I'm also a mighty busy lady. I appear in the theatre six nights and two afternoons a week and Mondays and Tuesdays at Radio City. I appear in a concert on Wednesday nights and in a matinee on Friday nights. I think it is a very busy life.



STATESMAN'S DAUGHTER

Sarah Churchill, 22-year-old daughter of Winston Churchill, who will marry her audiville dancing partner, Victor Oliver.

Maine Farmers Share In The National Recovery

Maine farmers have shared in recovery this year, according to statistics made public by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and other agencies whose task it is to record prices and income from year to year.

In September, Maine led the nation in percentage increase in farm income over the corresponding month a year earlier, with an increase of 80%. Most of that increase was due to the price of potatoes, but other enterprises have shared in recovery. Income from farm production in Maine in 1936 was \$49,095,000, an increase of 50% over the 1935 figure of \$32,669,000. During the first seven months of 1936, cash receipts of farmers were 90% greater than for the same period in 1935. The increase was only 20% for the nation as a whole.

Farm recovery and urban recovery have gone hand in hand. New automobile registrations in Maine, for example, increased 70% from 1932 to 1935. In 1935, a total of 17,315 new cars were registered, and in the first six months of 1936 new car registrations totaled 14,351. Payrolls in manufacturing establishments rose 27% from 1932 to 1935, and employment in the same firms rose 21%.

Potato growers saw a 1935 potato crop that was smaller than the 1932 crop by approximately 1,580,000 bushels but returned \$12,380,000 more than the 1932 crop.

Poultrymen received cash income in 1935 that was 23% above 1932, an increase of more than a million dollars. Production of chickens and eggs, meanwhile, declined slightly. Dairymen, who produced about ten million dollars worth of milk in 1932, produced 6,000,000 pounds less than in 1935 and received \$1,210,000 more for their total output.

Agricultural conservation payments will further increase income figures for 1936, for under the old adjustment program Maine received very little. The new program, which has already brought approximately \$100,000 into farmers' pockets in the state, may bring several times that amount, according to early estimates.

COLLECTOR'S ADVERTISEMENT OF SALE OF LAND OF NON-RESIDENT OWNERS

Unpaid Taxes on land situated in the Town of Hanover, in the County of Oxford for the year 1936.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the Town of Hanover aforesaid, for the year 1936, committed to me for collection for said Town on the Twenty-sixth day of May, 1936, remain unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes with interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold without further notice at public auction at Union Hall in said Town, on the first Monday in February, 1937, at nine o'clock A. M.

Name of Owner	Description of Property	Amt. of Tax Due
Dean, Year	Pasture back of Grist Mill, Bounded: No. by Alice Staples; So. by Foster East; W. by Foster East and W. by J. D. Roberts and McPherson.	\$16.00 plus Int. and Charges
Brown, Edward	Saw Mill Site, Bounded: No. by Year Dean; W. by Year Dean; E. by J. D. Roberts and Harriet sisters and Lot bought of Ira Brown; Bounded: No. by road; W. by Wardwell; E. by Thomas and So. by John Martin.	\$4.00 plus Int. and Charges
Commarford, Dr. R. J.	Jewett Lots Nos. 7 & 8 and Camp, Bounded: So. by Pond; No. by Pond; E. by Cobb and W. by Zenus Morse.	\$28.00 plus Int. and Charges
Danton, H. F.	Heirs or Deceased of Cottage and Stable at Pond, Bounded: No. by Town road; E. by Zenus Morse; So. by Pond and W. by Fannie Holt.	\$18.00 plus Int. and Charges

Dec. 15th 1936
Agnes M. Chase Collector of Taxes of the Town of Hanover.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-six, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said December. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of January, A. D., 1937, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Joseph A. Nadeau, late of Gilead, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Antoinette Nadeau as executrix of the same with bond, presented by Antoinette Nadeau, the executrix therein named.

William H. Robinson, late of Greenwood, deceased; Petition for order to distribute balance remaining in her hands, presented by Percis Alice Galtant, administratrix.

Caroline T. Babson and Ethel E. Babson, minors, first account presented for allowance by Abilion L. Morgan, Guardian.

Witness, Peter M. MacDonald Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of December in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-six.

2 FRED W. HOWELL, Register.

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed Adm'r. C. T. A. of the estate of J. Ois Estes late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

VIRGINIA E. ESTES
Bryant Pond, Maine
Dec. 15th, 1936.

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Rosalind, bay mare owned all trotters in 1936 by starts, including

West Paris

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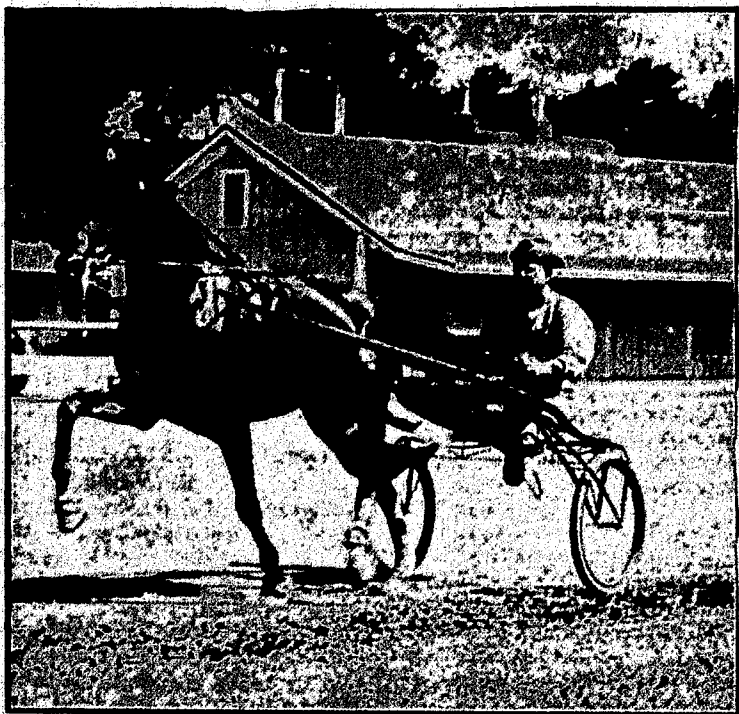
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LEADING TROTTER OF THE YEAR

Rosalind, bay mare owned by Gibson White, of Lexington, Ky., topped all trotters in 1936 by winning \$42,378. She won seven out of eight starts, including the Hambletonian Stake at Goshen, N. Y.

West Paris

Mrs. L. H. Penley and Mrs. W. S. Ring entertained the Past Grands, Wednesday, at the home of the former. A Christmas tree with exchange of gifts was an enjoyable feature of the afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Mildred Davis, Mrs. Annie Herrick, Mrs. Winona Ridon, Mrs. Marion Mayhew, Mrs. Phila Mayhew, Miss Mabel Ricker, Mrs. Nettie Chase, Mrs. Eva Doble and Mrs. Addelynn Mann and the hostesses, Mrs. Penley and Mrs. Ring. Mrs. H. R. Tuell entertained the Friendly Class, Friday afternoon with Mrs. H. W. Welch and Mrs. P. C. Mayhew assisting hostesses. A penny luncheon was served and New Year Greetings exchanged. Rev. A. E. Maxwell preached his farewell sermon at the Baptist Church, Sunday evening, leaving on Monday for his new charge at Fort Fairfield.

Gertrude C. Mann started Sunday for Babson Park, Fla., where the Webber Foundation College of which she is a student will reconvene for the winter. The Fall and Spring sessions are in Boston. Miss Mann will visit relatives in New York on her way.

Edwina M. Mann returned to the Maine Central Institute, Pittsfield, on Sunday.

Mrs. Agnes Pratt returned from the Community Hospital, Rumford, Friday and is spending a few days while convalescing at the home of her sister, Mrs. Evelyn Gray.

Leon Hadley is gaining from his recent illness although still confined to his room.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tuell and children, Gilman and Barbara, went to Ketchum, Sunday, where they expect to remain for the winter as Mr. Tuell and Gilman are working in the woods. Helen Tuell is boarding here and attending school.

Vance Bacon is recovering from glandular fever which has confined him to the bed for the past month. Mr. and Mrs. C. Haynes King, who have been guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Tuell, started Friday on the motor trip to their home in Afton, N. Y.

North Newry

Hartley Hanscom has finished work on the road at Magalloway and is at home.

Willard Wight returned to Orono Monday to resume his studies after the Christmas vacation.

Daniel Wight returned to Framingham Sunday after spending the holidays at home.

Miss Helen Richardson spent her Christmas vacation with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Vail, here.

Lillian Coleman of Gratton suffered a shock Monday morning. Mrs. Amy Bennett is staying with her at present.

P. M. Walker has gone to Magalloway to take charge on the road. Schools in town opened Monday morning with one new teacher who takes Mrs. Bryant's place at the Powers school.

Mrs. Ruth Hopkins, health nurse, was in town, Monday. The work in the schools will begin Tuesday. Arnold Eames called at L. E. Wight's, Monday.

Bryant Pond

At the Young People's evening meeting, Sunday, Rev. James MacKillop showed pictures of the Foreign Missionary Work, which were very good.

John Powers is on the sick list. Frank Hayes remains about the same.

Mrs. Theodore Dunham fell on the ice and hurt her very badly a few days ago, but is gaining slowly.

Friends of Harlan Bartlett are glad to see him back at his work at Mann's Mill after several weeks absence caused by an injury to his foot.

Stowell's Mill started work in the saw room Monday and will work eight hours at night and the day crew will work eight hours instead of nine hours.

There seems to be a lot of work at Mann's Mill now. They work nine hours a day and six days a week.

South Woodstock

Mrs. Mildred Woodsum and two sons returned to Saugus, Mass., on Sunday after spending the Christmas and New Years recess with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Q. Perham.

Mrs. Jennie Estes of Trap Corner visited her granddaughter, Mrs. Gayden Davis, a few days the past week.

Lenwood Andrews left Sunday for New York City where he will attend the McAllister School of Embalming. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harland Andrews, accompanied him as far as Lewiston where he joined other students, going the rest of the way by bus.

Mrs. Vera Buck visited her father at Rumford two days last week.

Mrs. Joseph Barrett has been at Rumford helping care for her sister who is ill.

At the last meeting of the Willing Workers we were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Olive Davis. Eighteen members and three children were present. At the close of the business meeting a Christmas program was greatly enjoyed, consisting of readings, contests and a tree. Gifts were exchanged by all the members and delicious refreshments of sandwiches, cakes, cocoa and ten and popcorn balls were served. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Cora Perham, Jan. 13th.

Grange Deputy Ellis Davis with the Ladies Degree team of Franklin Grange, Bryant Pond installed officers at Auburn and Welchville Granges the past week.

Nearly every family in the community has been having very bad colds and bowel trouble.

Gerald Benson was at Canton on Tuesday on business.

What warm winter weather we have had so far, with a great deal of rain but very little snow.

JUSTICE

Irate Visitor to Crofter "Look here, my man, one of your bees has just stung me. What are you going to do about it?"

Crofter (calmly) "Well, if you could flat pint out the bee that did it I was sure that it was well punished." Montreal Star.

Upton

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 30th the Misses Sylvia and Pearl Barnett were hostesses at a party given at their home. The guests present were Paul Roberts, Ovide Roberts, H. Prescott Tucker, Jr., Miss Myrtle Pratt, Fred Judkins, Albert Judkins, the Misses Lillian and Arline Judkins, Miss Phyllis Williamson, Richard Williamson, Miss Annie Ellis and Gordon Barnett. Games were enjoyed; then refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

H. Prescott Tucker, Jr., of Needham, Mass., returned to his home Monday, Jan. 4th, after spending the last ten days at the home of Guy Pratt.

On Monday, Jan. 4, Miss Myrtle Pratt returned to Glenwood, where she has a position as teacher.

Miss Arline Judkins has returned to her school in Norway after two weeks of vacation at home.

Among those who attended the wedding reception of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Angevine at Wilson's Mills, Thursday evening, Dec. 1st, were Ernest Angevine, Avery Angevine, C. A. Judkins, the Misses Lillian and Arline Judkins, the Misses Sylvia and Pearl Barnett, the Misses Phyllis Williamson, Richard Williamson and Guy Pratt.

Fred Judkins has returned to the University of Maine after a two week's vacation.

The Christian Endeavor meeting was held at the parsonage, Sunday evening, Jan. 3d, with Miss Viola Barnett as leader.

A party for the youngsters was held at the Library Building, Friday afternoon, Jan. 1st, under the direction of Mrs. John Manter and Miss Lillian Judkins. About 14 children were present. Refreshments of cookies and candy were served. Games were enjoyed.

Mrs. Leslie Fuller was home from Norway over the week end.

There were four tables in play at the Grange Whist Party held at the Hall, Saturday evening. The winners of high scores were Miss Lillian Judkins and Richard Williamson.

Gordon Barnett, Robert Waters and Doris Waters have returned to their schools in Berlin, N. H. after a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. James Barnett and son Donald have returned to their apartment in Berlin, N. H.

Schools in town opened this week with the same teachers as last term—Aubrey Flanders in the Junior High and Miss Susie Walker in the Primary School.

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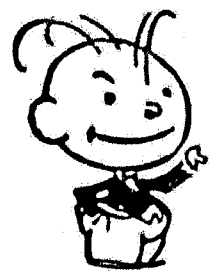
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FOR SALE—Baby Carriage and Baby Tender, both in good condition. Mrs. Philip W. Daye, Mechanic, St. Bethel.

FOR SALE—About Seven cords first quality dry cordwood. \$7.50 delivered. EDMUND C. SMITH, R. P. D. 2, Bethel. Phone 22-23.

FOR SALE—10 tons of good loose hay. \$12 a ton. Wanted—good milch cow or one to freshen within three weeks. A. L. MASON & SONS, 2611.

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FOR SALE—1 pair Holstein Oxen, girls 7½ feet. Excellent working team. Call and see them. JOHN C. ANDERSON, R. 2, Bethel, Maine. Tel. 111-21.

MISCELLANEOUS

LOST—Friday, Jan. 1, on Route 26 between Locke Mills and the dance pavilion, black leather jacket. GUY BARTLETT.

BIRTHDAY AND FRUIT CAKES made to order. MRS. W. F. CLARK, Phone 54-4.

PIANO TUNING—H. L. White will be in Bethel on Jan. 18. Orders with F. J. Tyler or write Box 6, Auburn.

Firearms, Ammunition, and Traps—Supplies, bought, sold, and exchanged by H. L. BROWN, Bethel, Maine. Dealer in New Guns, Deer Skins, Hides and Pelts.

Middle Intervale

Mrs. Laura Roberts is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fannie Carter.

Mrs. Capen, who has been quite ill, is much improved.

Mrs. Yall is visiting her sister, Ruth Bouvier, and helping care for her children who have been sick with colds.

Catherine and Mary Stevens are having chicken pox.

Ernest Morriette was out of the woods for the week end.

Gus Carter, Walter and Lester Daines are cutting millwood for Miller Trask.

Edith Carter is sick with tonsillitis. Edith Carter and children are at her home at Miller Trask's.

Carrey and Richard Stevens are cutting pine for Ben Kimball.

The Thompson children and Catherine Brooks are having chicken pox.

Beatrice Thompson is still sick with a cold.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation of the many sympathetic deeds of our friends at the time of the loss of our loved one, the loyal tributes and the kindness of the Christian Science Society.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Gibson and family

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Briggs and family

Howard Hickford

Ira H. Hickford, Jr.

NOTICE—In Whitman, Mass., Nov. 8, to the wife of Charles Dwyer, a daughter, Betty.

WARRING—In Bridgeton, Dec. 12, by Rev. Stanley Sherman, Alfred Bowley of North Bridgeton and Miss Phyllis Berthel of Norway.

DEED—In Bethel, Jan. 2, Ira Hickford, aged 81 years.

In Auburn, Jan. 4, Mrs. Ida Palmer, formerly of West Bethel.

In South Paris, Dec. 22, William L. H. Hildreth, aged 45 years.

Added Support For Grange Tax Plan

The Women's Legislative Council announced the receipt of a statement from the Maine Federation of Women's Clubs endorsing the Education Bill to be presented to the Legislature and asserting, "Real property is overburdened with taxes, and some new way will have to be found to provide the necessary funds."

The statement, signed by Mrs. Maybelle H. Brown of Waterville, Federation President, was released by Mrs. Haven Sawyer of Bangor, education chairman of the Legislative Council.

At a recent Augusta meeting the Council, on which serve representatives of all women's groups doing state or national work in Maine, voted to ask its member organizations for concrete tax proposals.

The next day the Maine Congress of Parents and Teachers said through its President, Mrs. Noel C. Little of Brunswick that it would support a program similar to that proposed by the state grange, combining a state income tax levy with a non-necessaries sales tax.

Mrs. Brown's statement said in full:

"To the Women's Legislative Council of Maine:

"The Maine Federation of Women's Clubs has, since its very existence been interested in and has worked for education. We wish every boy and girl in our state to have the advantages of a good school education. We are affiliated with a member of the Friends of Education. We believe that real property is overburdened with taxes and some new way will have to be found to provide the necessary funds to raise the standards of education in Maine."

Mrs. Sawyer said she expected statements from other groups represented on the Council to be forthcoming shortly.

Auto Transport Employed Many in State

Automotive, petroleum, and other industries connected with highway transportation provide jobs and wages for one out of every six persons employed in Maine's wholesale, retail and service establishments.

This statement, based upon new Census Bureau figures, was made by the National Highway Users Conference.

Other facts about trade and employment in Maine are revealed by the Conference's analysis, as follows:

Approximately one out of every six wholesale, retail and service establishments in the state, or a total of 2,945, out of 17,185 such establishments, depends upon the automotive, petroleum and allied trades for its existence.

Those trades, according to the preliminary 1935 figures just released, account for 19.4% of the total payroll of Maine's wholesale, retail and service establishments, or \$5,235,000 out of \$27,135,000.

The total volume of sales for all wholesale, retail, and service business in the state amounted to \$265,350,000, of which \$77,150,000 represented purchases by motor vehicle owners of all classes. From 1923 to 1935, the retail sales increased from \$164,385,000 to \$231,045,000, or 25%, while the automotive retail sales increased from \$26,361,000 to \$34,433,000 or 32%.

"These figures outline for the first time the current contribution of the automotive transportation trades to Maine's economic welfare," said Roy F. Britton, Director of the Conference.

"They show that purchases by the motoring public keep every sixth business house or service establishment in Maine from closing its doors, save every sixth person in the state's wholesale, retail and service trades from unemployment, and prevent almost one-fifth of the business payroll from drying up."

CARD OF THANKS

Those in charge of the Christmas baskets this year wish to thank all of the organizations and individuals who were so generous with their time and supplies. Thirty large baskets were distributed.

It is planned to make this an annual event.

The Committee

Hanover

Miss Avis Hinds returned to her school after spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hinds, Rumford.

Mrs. Genele Daly has resumed her teaching in North Newry, after spending part of her vacation in Lawrence, Mass.

Miss Barbara Cummings returned to North Yarmouth Academy Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders were in Lewiston Monday, where he attended a meeting of the Dowd Manufacturers' Association.

Clement Worcester is sawing ice for the ice houses at Howard Pond.

OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH

You better plan to have a very slight appetite this week. At any rate you will not be able to get it satisfied at a Circle Supper in the Parish until next week Thursday.

Then you can go to East Stoneham and there you will find your chance. The next evening you can betake yourself to Center Lovell and find another good supper. Probably you will also find a good time in each place after supper.

Sunday morning there will be a change in schedule for the services. Center Lovell, North Waterford and Waterford will be at the usual hour.

East Stoneham will meet at 11:15 with Sunday School meeting before the Church service. In the afternoon the Albany people will meet at the Town House School at 2:30. The Young People will meet in the evening at seven.

The Famous Players, North Waterford, are already at work on the Carnival drama. The second rehearsal will be held at the Odd Fellows' Hall next Tuesday evening. Say, young ladies, which one of you is to be crowned Queen of the Snows this year. You may be interested to know that the Outing Club is purchasing pins this winter, to be presented to all the past and present and future queens. This simply means that you must be exercising your skills and snowshoes as soon as you get the chance. In the meantime have a good time skating if you can find the skating. Perhaps you would rather try the sliding.

The Annual Church Meetings have been held within the week at North Waterford, Center Lovell, and Waterford. We can speak for two of these gatherings, at any rate, and say that they have been very happy occasions, with a supper or dinner served to a goodly number. We hear good reports from the third one also. Just let us say, unless you hear to the contrary, the Council Meeting will be postponed one week from the 14th to the 21st of the month.

Very sorry, indeed, were we on Monday morning to hear that one of our very good friends in Waterford had "gone on before." Many have enjoyed happy hours at the Wilkins House, and many from other towns have told us how fortunate we are in having such a useful and beautiful building in our community. At the same time too often have they not known that the building was the gift of Miss Baird in memory of a very dear friend. Yet the good times we have enjoyed have been made all the more pleasant because of the loveliness of the place in which we have met. We hope that the building may now have a still richer meaning for us as we think of the noble life and the generosity of a friend who has lived so quietly in our midst. One of the last acts of her life, of which we know, was a gift for the Christmas Boxes, was a gift for the Parish, and a letter of friendliness and sympathy for one who had been sick. May the memory of Miss Baird's kindly and generous living be an inspiration for us all to live lives on a higher plane.

GOULD ACADEMY NOTES

On Tuesday morning in Assembly C. Ray Hanson, criminologist, was the guest speaker. Mr. Hanson was formerly with the United States Department of Justice and Prosecuting Attorney for the City of Chicago, and is at present cooperating with the Police Departments of many of the large cities as an undercover investigator. He is on a short speaking tour covering several of the New England schools and universities. His subject was "Ganging Up On Gangland," in which he painted the modern gangster as he really is and not as he is usually depicted in modern fiction and newspapers. Much of the material used was obtained by Mr. Hanson, himself, from his own experiences with Chicago gangsters in obtaining information as to election frauds and consequent prosecution of the offenders. This talk also tended to create an attitude of critical consideration of modern problems connected with crime and criminals, which is one of those factors so vital in the character training of the present day boy and girl.

A very interesting program was arranged for the Girl Reserves meeting which was held Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 6. The meeting opened by having the roll call and singing several hymns, after which Margaret Tibbels read from the School Service Book. It was suggested to give a supper and tea to the Mothers and Daughters but no definite plans were made at this meeting. Vocation topics, dealing with the subject of Nursing were discussed by the guest speakers, Phyllis Davis of Bethel and Ellen Spear of Rumford. Christie Thurston read a short report on the school year and Jane Chapin read an article on people's weight. At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served.

CARD OF THANKS

The members of the Junior Guild wish to thank all who assisted in any way to make our New Year's dance such a grand success.

NOTICE

I shall pay no bills contracted by my son, Lester Valentine, after this date. WALTER G. BALENTINE, Bethel, Maine, Jan. 6, 1937.

An assortment of J & P COATS

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"B" SQUAD OPENS AGAINST ANDOVER—GOULD GIRLS IN PRACTICE SCRIMMAGE

Friday evening at 7:45, the "B" Squad will tackle an old rival, Andover High. In its first game of the season. These teams have been playing several years and the games have always been close and hard fought.

The local boys have only, this week, started practice in earnest but have progressed rapidly and should be able to uphold their part of the play. The probable starting line-up will find Tucker and Young forwards, Crockett center, S. Howe and Brooks or D. Holt guards. Others due to see plenty of action are Hutchins, Waterman, and Cummings.

There will be a preliminary game at 7:00 featuring two picked teams from the Girls' squad. As the girls open their season next Tuesday at Mechanic Falls, this will give their supporters a chance to see them in action and judge their chances of success.

First game is at 7 o'clock and admission—only a dime.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister
Sunday, January 10th
9:30 a. m. Sunday School.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
6:30 p. m. Young People's Society.
7:30 p. m. Fortnightly Forum.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. P. J. Clifford, Minister
9:45 Church School.
11:00 Morning Worship.
6:30 Epworth League.
7:30 Evening Service.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.
Services Sunday morning at 10:45.
"Sacrament is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 10, 1937.

The Golden Text is, "Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies." (Psalms 23:5).

The citations from the Bible include the following passages: "And when the hour was come he sat down, and the twelve apostles with him. And he took bread, and gave thanks, and brake it, and gave unto them, saying, This is my body which is given for you." (Luke 22:14, 19-20).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following selections from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Their bread indeed came down from heaven. It was the great truth of spiritual being, healing the sick and casting out error. Their Master had explained it all before, and now this bread was feeding and sustaining them. They had borne this bread from house to house, breaking (explaining) it to others, and now it comforted themselves." (Page 33: 6-12).

Testimonial meetings at 7:30 p. m. on the second Wednesday of each month until May.

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Frank Peterson Talks To P. T.

The Parent Teachers Association of Bethel held its monthly meeting on Monday evening, Jan. 5.

The meeting opened with a group of musicals presented by pupils of the School.

Bohemian March. Violin composed of the Misses Clough, Muriel Hall, Leighton accompanied Barbara Luxton.

Polk Dance—Chimes of D. Songs—Bendemeer's Stream Frost, Girls Chorus from 7th Grades.

Rose Petals, Violin E. Accompanied by Miss Mar. The organization was fortunate to have as guest at the evening, Frank Peterson, who has spent years traveling in various parts of the world.

Mr. Peterson spoke of different types of hobbies, upon that of collecting in which he is especially interested.

Among his button collection Peterson now owns several thousand varieties, some of which were displayed during the evening.

Concerning these the speaker related many interesting stories.

Some of these buttons are of value, having come from different parts of the world, and have been collected under unusual circumstances.

Besides being interested in collecting buttons, Mr. Peterson is also an authority on gems and minerals.

COUNTY ASSOCIATIONS FURTHER CONSERVATION

County agricultural conservation associations will be formed this year. A. K. G. specialist in soil conservation last week in the first of a series of radio talks to be given by county agents, county agents, explaining the 1937 conservation program.

The associations will be solely to carry out the provisions of the agricultural act, but the associations were organized most sections of the county, but not in the Northern.

County agents and county committees will explain the program at community meetings farmers beginning January 1 these meetings, farmers may applications to participate in program, and a community committee of three will be elected, chairman of the committee will be a director of the county association and one of those to elected county committee.

Only in Aroostook, Penobscot, Somerset and York counties will farmers be eligible for diversion payments in Even in these counties, eligibility for diversion payments is limited certain restrictions. Farmers counties will be eligible to receive building payments as in and the farm allowance for payments has been increased.

Mrs. H. C. Rowe has returned from Boston after spending several days there with Mr. Rowe.

DOUBLE HEADER BASKETBALL SECOND TEAM

WOODSTOCK 7-15

GOULD YARD 8-15

OXFORD H 8-15

WILLIAM BINGHAM GYMNASIUM

Friday, January 1